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FROM LOWRIE USINT BAGHDAD

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT IZ ENRG

SUBJ: BPC NATIONALIZATION; KURDISH ATTACK DENIED

REF: BAGHDAD 539

1. RE EXXON AND MOBIL NATIONALIZATION, LOCAL REP
PAWSON HAS CONVEYED BPC POSITION TO GOI WHICH IS
THAT COMPANY ACCEPTING TO IMPLEMENT DECISION BUT
RESERVING ALL ITS RIGHTS AND OPTIONS UNTIL IT HAS
HAD TIME TO STUDY TEXT OF LAW. ONE OF COMPLICATIONS
IS THAT BRITISH LAW APPARENTLY DOES NOT PERMIT PARTIAL
NATIONALIZATION AFFECTING ONLY SOME OWNERS.

2. KURDISH PAPER AT-TAAXHI DENIED OCTOBER 13 A FRENCH
REPORT THAT KURDS HAD ATTACKED IRAQI ARMY IN NORTH.
PAPER REITERATED FULL SUPPORT OF KURDS FOR ARAB CAUSE.
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